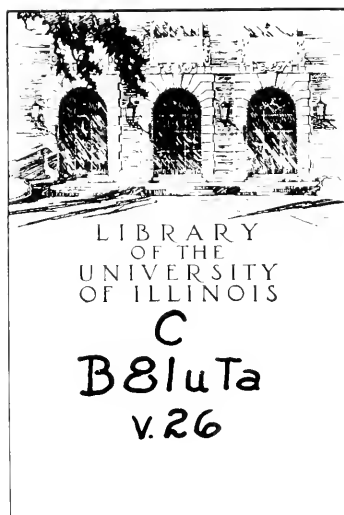


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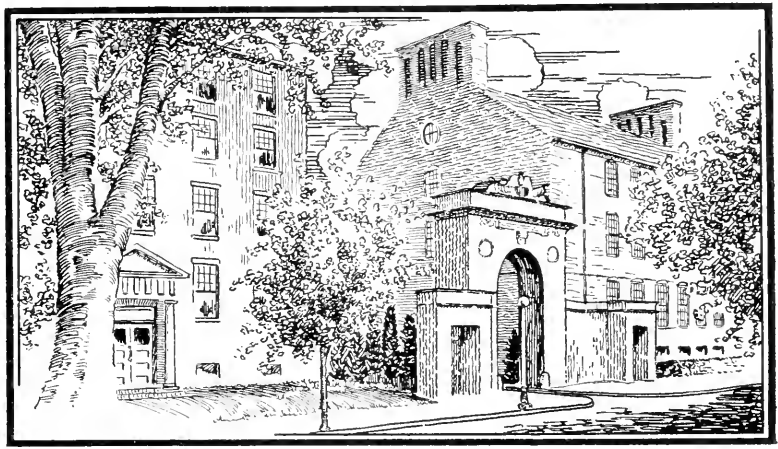






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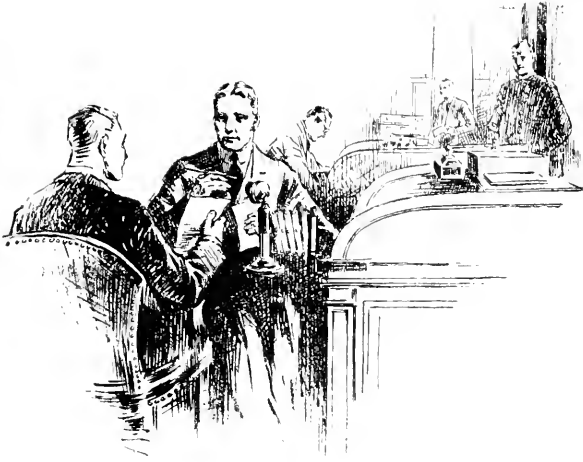
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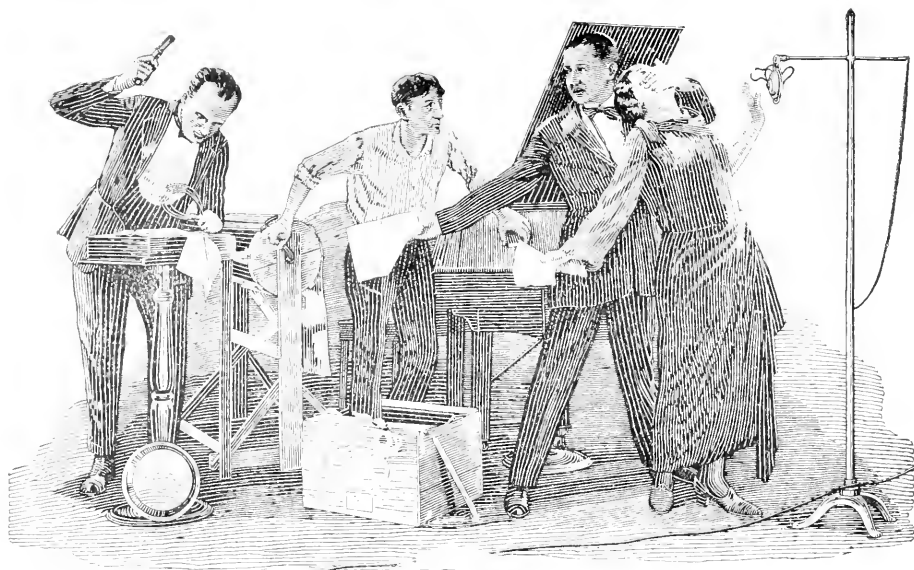


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## On The Hill

**B**BROWN UNIVERSITY, although supposed to have adopted a harmonious scheme of architectural development years ago, does not seem, as yet, to have found itself in this respect.

Years ago the decision was made to adhere to the Colonial or Georgian style, but, as the lay observer is now in a position to note, there is a wide variation possible within that characterization.

University Hall follows Nassau Hall at Princeton, as Dartmouth Hall at Hanover also does. It is of the late Colonial type, having been erected in 1770, only six years before we declared our independence of Great Britain and emerged from the Colonial status into that of a free and separate nation. Hope College dates from 1822, and thus is not actually in time of erection a Colonial building, but it may, like University Hall, be called late Colonial. Maxcy Hall (1897), economically constructed, displays much the same form of outline as Hope, including the shallow pitch of roof which characterizes all the other three buildings mentioned, while Caswell Hall (1904) conforms to Hope, with marble doorways modelled (rather heavily as we always thought) after the portico of the First Baptist Meeting House.

The Metcalf Laboratory, however, which was erected two or three years ago, reverts to an older Colonial. It exhibits the influence of Massachusetts Hall at Harvard and Connecticut Hall at Yale. It represents, accordingly, an architecture of a generation earlier than University Hall. Its roof line is very different from that of Caswell Hall, which stands adjacent to it on the south. Where the Caswell Hall roof has a slight pitch, that of

the laboratory is steep, with impressive chimneys rising high in the air.

The two new dormitories now under way, one on George street east of the John Carter Brown Library and the other—Hegeman Hall—at the corner of George and Thayer streets, conform to the Metcalf building rather than to the University-Hope-Caswell-Maxy group. We appear to be wedded, therefore, to the earlier Colonial, though for how long is a question.

Between the two Colonial styles individual tastes will decide for themselves, but it is obvious that we have not yet made that progress toward uniformity which was expected when the Colonial was adopted by the Corporation years ago. As if to emphasize this fact, the new Marston Hall, the home-to-be of the Romanesque and German Departments, is to be built of limestone in the Renaissance style.

Of course, there is a certain relationship between the Renaissance and the Georgian. They both have a Classical derivation. But it is high time for us to understand just what we intend, or else to abandon the idea of carrying out any such accordant scheme as Princeton is beautifully developing, or as Yale is striving toward in her late acceptance of the Gothic.

What is the matter with our architectural scheme of things at Brown?

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### *The New Dormitories*

**T**HE new dormitory on George street, near the John Carter Brown Library, will be roofed in before Commencement. As we write, work is progressing on the top (the fourth) story. The build-

ing is physically connected with Maxcy Hall, but is unlike it in quality of brick as well as in sky line. The material used in it is Eastern water-struck brick. A proposal has been made to bring Maxcy into nearer architectural harmony with the new building by removing the six pediments, three on each side, which at present top the three-story bow-windows. The length of the new dormitory is 106 feet and the width 35.8. It is said that the modern theory in building college dormitories is that they should not be as wide as the original Colonial ones were. Thus University Hall is 45 feet wide, but the new theory calls for a width of only 32 to 36 feet.

The roof of the new dormitory will be of slate and will be surmounted by a white wooden balustrade. Hegeman Hall, which is to be in reality a series of three connected buildings, will be of two, three and four stories in height but in general will conform to the George street building. The latter, accommodating 78 undergraduates, will be ready for occupancy in September; the former, it is expected, will be ready next January or February and will provide quarters for 86, almost entirely in suites. Some of these will be three-room and others two-room suites.

The architects of these two dormitories are Day and Klauder of Philadelphia, who designed the Metcalf Laboratory.

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#### *Marston Hall and Infirmary*

MARSTON HALL has been designed by Welles Bosworth of New York, who is the architect of the new Tech buildings at Cambridge and of the J. P. Morgan Library in New York city. It will bear a strong resemblance to the latter building. Its dimensions are about 115 by 55 feet. Next to Marston Hall, between it and the Psi Upsilon Chapter House, is a wooden dwelling-house owned by the University which is to be used, beginning next fall, as an infirmary. There will be ac-

commodations for from seven to ten undergraduates—non-hospital cases. A trained nurse and a cook will be permanently installed there. If any patients develop serious maladies, they will of course be sent to a hospital. The infirmary will fill a long-felt want at Brown.

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#### *The Ploughed-Up Campus*

UNFORTUNATELY the front campus, together with part of the middle campus, wears an agitated look at present, the grass having been ploughed under last year for the sake of the menaced elms. Instead of smooth lawns, we have the semblance of a fallow cornfield, and the effect is anything but pleasing. However, heroic treatment was necessary in order to save the trees, which are more important, of course, in the campus scheme of things than the grass.

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#### *Alumni and the Law*

WE desire to call attention to two editorials printed elsewhere in this issue on the subject of college alumni and the law of the land. The whole question, in our judgment, is one of great seriousness, and we are of the opinion that Brown class reunions should without exception adhere to the highest standards in this respect.

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#### *The New School Committee*

ON May 4 the first election of a Providence School Committee of seven members under the so-called Strayer-Sisson law was held. Up to this time the committee has been an unwieldy body of thirty-three. To Mrs. Anne C. E. Allinson, wife of Professor Francis G. Allinson of Brown, went the exceptional honor of an unopposed election as one of the two members at large. William W. Moss '94 was defeated for the other position of mem-

ber at large by William L. Sweet, but Brown has two graduates on the committee—Lauriston H. Hazard '89 and Francis J. Brady '16, Mr. Hazard being the successful candidate against Frank A. Page '04, who was handicapped, in spite of his acknowledged competence, by the fact that he holds a Federal position, that of Col-

lector of Internal Revenue for the District of Rhode Island.

Under the Strayer-Sisson law the School Committee will have a larger financial control of the schools than heretofore, and it is believed that a new era of prosperity and efficiency is in store for the city's educational system.

## Shall We Restrict Our Numbers?

HERE is an undergraduate voice lifted up in favor of restricted enrollment. The Brown Daily Herald says:

Now in the midst of an enthusiastic movement for expansion, the University will present to the outside world a radically different material and physical Brown in another year. The addition of new dormitories, new lecture halls, a new stadium and athletic plant, and plans for a large gymnasium will create the impression of a much larger institution.

The changes now under construction and consideration, large as they are, are no more than large enough to accommodate an undergraduate body of thirteen or fourteen hundred undergraduates. In reality, Brown at the present time is like a large family in a very small house. Those who live and work on the campus are unduly crowded and hampered, and many forced to live outside hardly know the University and university life. With the addition of new dormitories and equipment the University could provide for increased enrollment under favorable conditions. Then, however, the old evil of inadequate facilities would again stare us in the face, new buildings would be necessary, and in the end Brown would become a large city uni-

versity, something few Brown men hope to see.

Most alumni and undergraduates consider Brown traditionally and actually one of the smaller colleges, and would heartily oppose with good reason any radical change in the fundamental character of the University. The unity of thought and action prevalent in the time of our fathers' undergraduate days are now unhappily absent or altered, and further increase in the size of the University will result in still more unhappy results.

With the splendid new equipment with which it will be provided within the next few years Brown will have an opportunity to house on the campus many more of its present students, and to enable them to enjoy more suitable equipment in research work. The undergraduate body will have an opportunity to become more thoroughly solidified and unified. A larger enrollment, on the other hand, would result only in demoralization because of a renewal of the present unfortunate conditions of overcrowding, with students scattered far from the campus, but also would alienate the affections of thousands of alumni who would resent the alteration of the Brown of their memories into a totally foreign institution.

# A New Economic Service at Brown

*By Professor William A. Berridge, Department of Economics; Director of Research,  
Brown Bureau of Business Research*

THE Brown Bureau of Business Research is a co-operative organization, formed by the Department of Economics and the Providence Chamber of Commerce in 1921, largely through the initiative of Professor Ralph E. Badger of the Department of Economics. Professor Badger, aided by Professor Henry B. Gardner, Head of the Department, succeeded in enlisting the active interest of several prominent business men in this project. These gentlemen have helped with valuable suggestions and in a variety of other ways from time to time. Those to whom we owe the greatest obligation are the men who have been giving counsel as directors of the Bureau: Messrs. Arthur L. Aldred, Harvey A. Baker, George L. Crooker, George W. Danielson, Paul C. DeWolf, Charles A. Horton, Charles T. Howard, Harry B. Johnson, Francis B. Keeney, Alfred B. Lemon, T. F. I. McDonnell, Arthur L. Philbrick, Theodore B. Pierce, William L. Sweet, William H. Thurber and Richard B. Watrous.

## *Purpose of the Bureau*

The founding of the organization had two chief objects. For several years there had been a growing belief in university circles everywhere that both economics and business administration might be taught much more successfully if the teacher were provided opportunity for a more close, direct and continuous contact with the business world than has commonly been possible in the past; in other words there are thought to be teaching advantages in such co-operation. Furthermore, the suggestion has been frequently made that economics as a science is not simply a system of pure abstraction, related but remotely to the facts of economic life;

as in chemistry and other physical sciences so in economics, those whose business it is to explore the field for governing principles aspire to go further, and to make some direct, tangible contribution through the application of principles to practice. Sometimes their ideas are found to have actual, tangible value. As soon as men of affairs come to sense this tendency, they too will be in a position to see possibilities for good in a closer connection between the art of business administration and the science of business economics. The purpose of the Bureau is then to bring to realization this mutual advantage: by applying economics to make a direct contribution to business life, and at the same time to validate by "laboratory test" the body of principles which underlie the science of economics.

## *Reviews of Economic Conditions*

A little thought will suggest to any imaginative alumnus possible directions in which such mutual advantages might be realized. We do not intend to present here any extended list of our plans for the future. In fact, we still welcome suggestions on this point, for we are not yet certain what lines of procedure will ultimately prove best for us to follow, in giving our venture the greatest value on both sides. But as our first experiment we have undertaken a series of reviews of business conditions, with special reference to those prevailing in Providence and Rhode Island.

Business men have for a long time complained that they do not know how to use to the best advantage their business forecasting services. We believe that there is a "missing link" between (1) the reviews and forecasts of general business condi-

tions, issued at frequent intervals by many well-known agencies, and (2) the translation of such general statements into terms of the special conditions prevailing in a particular local community such as Providence, and, further, in an individual

this line of local business analysis in other quarters, but the writer was asked early in 1923 to interest himself in the problem, in connection with the new course on Business Cycles and Forecasting. After a year of investigation and experiment, a prelim-

## FIRST PAGE OF A SAMPLE REPORT (REDUCED SIZE)

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REPORT 8

## CONTINUED STRENGTH IN INDUSTRY AND TRADE

**Rhode Island building slumps**—New construction contracts 50 percent below normal—Adjustment of supply to demand for floor space.

**Cotton consumption continues increase**, but by less than usual seasonal change—Recent increases in Carolinas more marked—Low stocks on hand in Rhode Island and elsewhere.

**Most other industries materially expand output**—Distribution of these industries—Power consumption rises substantially—Cycle of check payments continues upward trend—Automobile registrations unusually numerous.

### BUILDING CONSTRUCTION

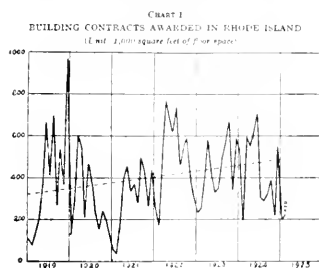
For nearly eight months now, the building situation in Providence and other Rhode Island centers has shown distinct signs of weakness. This is the clear verdict to be drawn from Chart 1, in which we show for the first time (by courtesy of Mr. T. S. Holden, Statistician, The F. W. Dodge Corporation) the course of building contracts let in Rhode Island. This curve represents, not the number of such contracts, but the square feet of floor space called for in local building contracts awarded, month by month, since January, 1919. The curve therefore does not involve a price element or most of the other objections to indexes based upon the value of building permits. It is essentially an index of the physical volume of domestic, commercial, industrial and other construction actually

begun. No figures are available showing these components separately for this State.

The floor-space curve shows that the local demand for new construction has not been considered, by those who let out such contracts, strong enough to justify beginning many new operations. This situation has prevailed since last June with the single exception of December, when certain contracts brought the total nearly to 550,000 square feet. In the other seven months of the period the space called for has at no time exceeded 400,000 square feet, and in November, January and February fell below 225,000.

A floorage as low as a quarter million square feet per month is by no means without precedent in the post-war period covered by this chart, but it has not *persistently remained* so low as this since the depression of 1920-1921. For over a half-year now, the index has clearly been failing to maintain the rate of increase prevailing during the five years, 1919-1923.

This probably means that the mad scramble for new buildings which has been going on in this section for several years to make up the deficiency in various kinds of construction resulting from the war is giving way to a more conservative policy. True, the slump is partly a reflex of the industrial depression shown by our earlier Reports to have existed in Rhode Island during the middle of 1924. Therefore some recovery in contract awards will probably take place soon. But that recovery is unlikely to be either so decisive or so long-sustained as were the recoveries of 1919-20 or May-August, 1922. Moreover, we doubt that the general course of building construction during the next two years will maintain a trend as markedly upward as that shown by the dotted line for 1919-1923.



establishment. It is hoped that our Brown reports will point the way to a method of permanently supplying this missing link, and encouraging statistical self-analysis on the part of individual communities and concerns.

### *How They Are Issued*

Little or nothing has been done along

inary series of four reports embodying certain preliminary findings was published in November 1923—February 1924 by The Providence Magazine, organ of the Chamber of Commerce. Partly as a result of these articles, a Brown Business Service was proposed; its underwriting for the year ending June 30, 1925, was completed last summer, and the first Report

on the new series appeared on October 1, 1924. These Reports are ordinarily issued in two or four pages, and comprise text and graphic charts, sometimes supported by simple statistical tables. The plan has been to issue each month at least one, and occasionally two, of the Reports. The accompanying cut, representing the first page of Report 8, illustrates the form in which the findings appear.

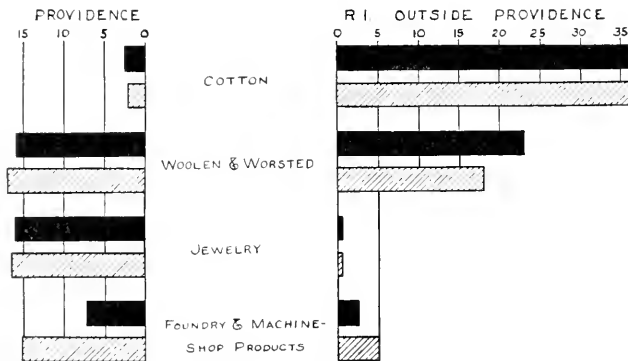
*The Statistical Foundations*

We use in the Bureau a great variety of factual and statistical information bearing upon local conditions. One of the more novel statistical series represents the weekly volume of payroll disbursements in the various industries and trades in and about Providence. It is obtained by tabulating, by a method not yet attempted by any other organization, the withdrawals on payroll voucher from Providence Clearing House Banks. Another unique service for use are the following series, collected

by the Bureau on its own initiative or in co-operation with other agencies, governmental or private, which have been generous in their response:

- Employment in Rhode Island factories.
- Operations of public employment office in Providence.
- Industrial power sales of Narragansett Electric Lighting Co.
- Cars loaded and unloaded locally on the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.
- Cotton and wool consumed in Rhode Island mills.
- Value of building permits issued in Providence; floor space of contracts let in Rhode Island.
- Business failures in Rhode Island and the Attleboros.
- Retail sales in Providence.
- Retail collections by Providence stores.
- Retail prices in Providence.
- Total checks drawn on all Providence Clearing House banks.

INDUSTRIAL DISTRIBUTION OF VALUE ADDED BY MANUFACTURE (A) IN PROVIDENCE, (B) IN RHODE ISLAND OUTSIDE PROVIDENCE  
(Unit: 1 percent)



is the current tabulation of labor turnover figures for a group of representative industrial plants. Some of the curves obtained from various local data are illustrated in the accompanying charts.

Among other statistics brought together

Commercial loans, discounts, investments, and deposits of all Providence Clearing House Banks.

Deposits in mutual and postal savings banks of Rhode Island.

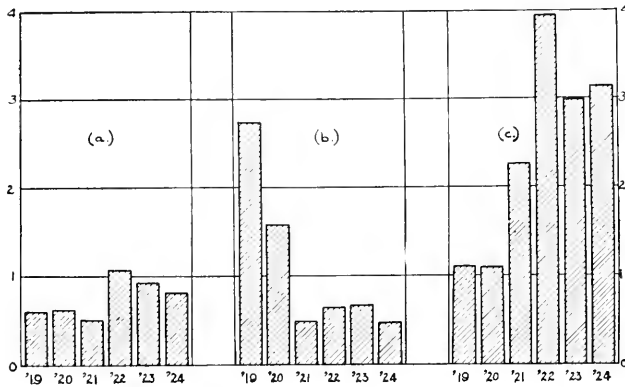
Life insurance sales in Rhode Island.

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Number of telephone calls pegged in  
Providence and East Providence.  
Gas sendout of Providence Gas Co.

Street railway passengers and revenues  
in Providence.  
Marriage rate in Rhode Island.

NEW BUILDING CONTRACTS (A) COMMERCIAL, (B) INDUSTRIAL AND (C) RESIDENTIAL, LET IN RHODE ISLAND, 1919-1924  
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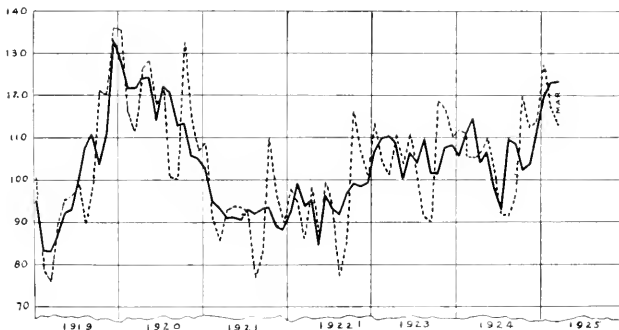


CYCLES OF COTTON CONSUMPTION IN RHODE ISLAND  
CORRECTED FOR SEASONAL VARIATION

(Unit: 1 percent. Base: monthly average of 20,000 bales—100 percent)

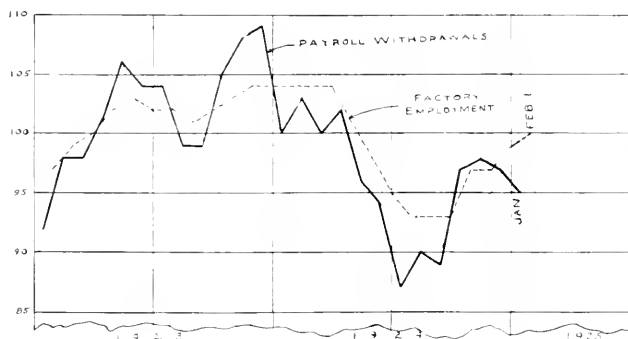


CHECK PAYMENTS AT PROVIDENCE CLEARING HOUSE BANKS  
UNCORRECTED FOR SEASON (DOTTED LINE) AND CORRECTED FOR SEASON (FULL LINE)  
(Base: 1919-1923 average—100 percent)

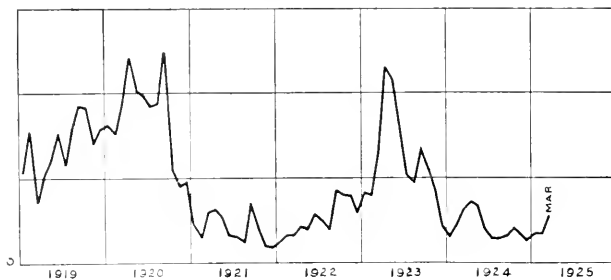


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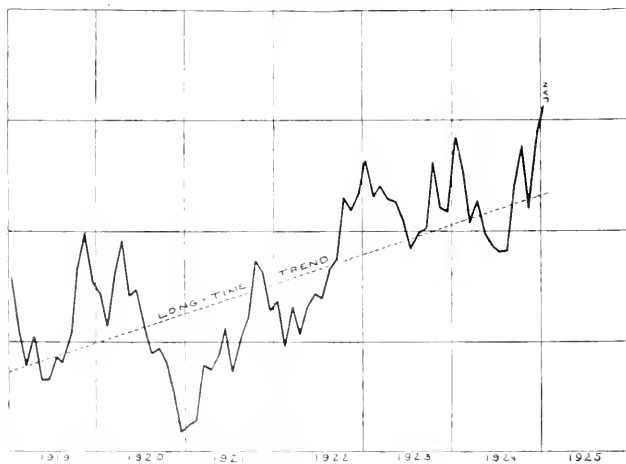
### LOCAL PAYROLL WITHDRAWALS AND FACTORY EMPLOYMENT (Base: January-June, 1923 average=100 percent)



### LABOR TURNOVER: RATIO OF VOLUNTARY DEPARTURES TO NUMBER ON PAYROLL IN REPRESENTATIVE RHODE ISLAND FACTORIES (Blind scale)



### POWER CONSUMPTION OF NARRAGANSETT INDUSTRIAL CUSTOMERS (Arbitrary units and scale)





*Reception and Prospects*

The Bureau is meeting cordial and effective co-operation from many quarters—not only individuals and business houses, but also such organizations as the R. I. Industrial Relations Association, Rhode Island Textile Association, Rhode Island Metal Trades Association, Providence Clearing House Association, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, Rhode Island Department of Labor, U. S. Bureau of the Census and U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

These and other organizations assist in supplying the local data necessary in formulating conclusions. The business

public has also given material support, not only in the form of underwriting but also in subscriptions, which are provided at a nominal charge. Judging by the favorable reception of the Brown Business Service during the first year of its struggling infancy, we hope to meet increasing success during the year 1925-1926; we expect to work along essentially the same lines, in attempting to establish mutually helpful liason between the academic and the business community in Rhode Island through quantitative analysis of local economic tides. Such other ventures as may be undertaken will, for a year at least, be secondary to that main problem.

## The Opening of Aldrich Field

ON a fine sunny afternoon (May 16) Brown's splendid new baseball park, Aldrich Field, was dedicated with appropriate ceremonies. The attendance was all that could have been expected—in excess of 7,000. The new grandstand was completely filled, and a small wooden stand had to be hastily erected to accommodate the overflow.

The great event of the afternoon was the match with Dartmouth, which Brown won by a score of 3 to 2. But previous to the game, there were dedicatory exercises with T. F. I. McDonnell '91 as master of ceremonies, while brief addresses were made by Paul C. DeWolf '05, T. B. Appleget '17, Secretary Fletcher Burton of the Dartmouth Club of Rhode Island, and Dr. F. W. Marvel '94. Previous to the addresses there was a procession, headed by Bruno, behind whose frisky highness came the very creditable Brown band, uniformed in white and led by Roger Harris '28, together with the members of the Brown and Dartmouth teams. After the speaking, Messrs. Charles T. Aldrich '77 and Henry L. Aldrich '76, the generous donors of the field, stepped respectively into

the pitcher's and catcher's places and showed the New Generation how a Brown battery performed half a century ago. Pitcher Aldrich delivered the ball with a graceful underhand swing and Catcher Aldrich skilfully received it.

The ceremonies also included the raising of the American, Brown and Dartmouth colors, the audience rising during the progress of the three flags to the tops of the three staffs that had been erected for them. Each of the flags was spick-and-span new, the Dartmouth standard being the gift of the Dartmouth Club of Rhode Island.

A fair guess would be that there were a thousand automobiles in the immediate neighborhood of the field. The new grandstand was universally admired. The field was in first-rate condition, the grass being abundant and level and the diamond well-rolled.

Paul C. DeWolf of the building committee said, in presenting the field to the University:

"The first thought of locating a Brown athletic field on this tract of land was conceived by Clinton C. White, class of 1900, about eight years ago, and, as a result, the

land was then made available for university use.

"No further steps were taken until nearly four years ago, when the Brown University Corporation appointed a committee to consider provision for physical training and athletic sports for our undergraduate body. The committee thus appointed (of which Professor Marvel has been the guiding hand) developed a programme which calls for five distinct units, of which this is the third to be completed and is the largest individual unit.

"The transformation of this 15 acres from a swampy woodland to the beautiful playing field, second to no college field in the country, was made possible largely through the generosity of two loyal Brown men—Henry L. Aldrich, class of 1876, and Charles T. Aldrich, class of 1877. In honor of these two alumni and in recognition of their gift, the Corporation has determined that this field shall be named Aldrich Field.

"It is with a great deal of satisfaction, therefore, Professor Marvel, that, acting for the committee which planned and built the field, I now turn Aldrich Field over to the University as a complete unit."

In accepting the gift, Dr. Marvel responded:

"Mr. McDonnell, Mr. DeWolf, Messrs. Aldrich, members of the several committees, invited guests, alumni, undergraduates and friends of the University: To be asked by Dr. Faunce to accept, in behalf of the President and the Corporation of Brown University, this beautiful field, so completely equipped for baseball and other athletic activities, is an honor I deeply appreciate. Coming as this does at the end of my 30 years work in physical education, 24 of which I have spent at my own alma mater and 22 as head of the department of physical education, you can easily imagine the genuine pleasure and satisfaction it gives me personally to receive, in behalf of the University, this magnificent gift, a

thing I have worked for the greater and the better part of a lifetime. You must forgive me for feeling at times as if it were all my own.

"I would have you realize that this field, and the one across the street, will make possible for the first time in the history of the University the active participation in outdoor athletics of all students who so desire. It will enable us to make strong, healthy, clean and virile, not only the chosen few who naturally excel in athletics, but that great army of youth, eager for action and in need of the benefits of physical education, who heretofore have participated in athletics mostly by proxy.

"I believe that if athletics are good for the athlete, they are even better for the ordinary student, and I mean to interpret that belief in terms of action.

"Soon we shall be able to invite our friends to witness all our contests without apology for the lack of suitable accommodations.

"The field we are to-day dedicating has been carefully and considerably planned by the engineers and by the several committees, with a view to the needs and conveniences of both participants and spectators.

"Having served with your committees, I am fully aware of the tremendous task they have all so loyally and successfully performed, of the great sacrifices of time and energy they have so generously made. The planning of Aldrich Field, the field across the street yet to be named, other fields nearer the college, and the new gymnasium has extended over several years. Several years work is still ahead of us before all our plans can be brought to a successful completion. Our comprehensive scheme calls for all-the-year-round work, both indoors and outdoors, and so, Mr. Chairman, I look forward with pleasure and keen anticipation to continued work with your committee, with your same patience, co-operation and determination which have crowned your work with success in the



## Scenes on Aldrich Field

Large picture shows the scene on the opening day. Lower left, Messrs. C. T. and H. L. Aldrich, for whom the field is named. Lower right, the Brown baseball team.

past. This, I am sure, will be continued until all your plans are completely realized.

"Aldrich Field is but the beginning of greater things that are in store for us in the way of larger and better facilities to carry out our long cherished ambition, that every student in Brown University shall be given an opportunity to participate in some kind of competitive games and exercises suitable to his own skill, his strength and his taste; something he can continue to enjoy and profit by after graduation in his business and professional life. A few of us have received these benefits in the past—we hope now to pass these privileges along to the coming college generations.

"To the Aldrich brothers, for whom this field is named, to the alumni and friends of the University and to the alumni of other colleges, whose unselfish devotion and active interest have made this achievement possible, I offer, in behalf of the Corporation, sincere thanks for this generous gift.

"In no other department of the University could you have invested where so many undergraduates, faculty and alumni can profit by your gift.

"Practically every student in the University will make use of this plant for at least one year and many will make use of

it for four years. Many of the faculty, too, will avail themselves of this opportunity when once it is opened to them.

"Thousands of our alumni and friends will gather in these stands on soft spring days and crisp October afternoons to get the thrill that comes from watching their teams in the strenuous but friendly contests in which college men love to engage.

"Such occasions will afford them opportunities to renew their devotion to the college and to keep their enthusiasm and loyalty alive and true to Brown.

"In behalf of the President and the Corporation of Brown University and the Athletic Association, which I have the honor to represent, I accept from you this magnificent gift—Aldrich Field.

"In doing so I am fully aware of the obligations and responsibilities that come with it. We of the department of physical education especially appreciate these responsibilities and pledge ourselves to give our best to uphold the Brown traditions for fair play and good sportsmanship; that every student may be in some game and so become a better Brown man and a better American citizen.

"In accepting this gift I would dedicate Aldrich Field to Brown University's long cherished hope, 'a team for every man and every man on a team.'"

## A New Rhode Island Book

Many readers of the Alumni Monthly will be interested in a book entitled "Our State: Rhode Island," recently written and published by Miss Lillian Burleigh Miner, A. M., of Providence, sister of George L. Miner '97. Miss Miner, a teacher in the Commercial High School at Providence, has managed to pack into small compass a great mass of interesting facts regard-

ing this State. The book is designed for use in schools but will repay casual reading. There are many half-tone and line illustrations, but we are particularly struck with the interesting word pictures of life in past centuries that Miss Miner, by long study and research, has been able to present. It is a book worth reading about a State worth while.

# The New Gymnasium

*By Norman S. Taber '13, Secretary Gymnasium-Field House Committee*

A BUILDING over 450 feet in length and covering an area of something more than 65,000 square feet of land is contemplated as the new Gymnasium for Brown University. Such a building if placed upon the Middle Campus would reach the length of it from Waterman to George streets; or if placed upon Andrews Field would reach from the fence at one end of the field nearly to the fence at the opposite end; or again, if located near the College would require an entire block of land extending from Brown to Thayer streets. This structure is to accommodate the following units: 1. Swimming Pool. 2. In-door Dirt Playing Field. 3. Gymnasium Floor. 4. Administration Quarters, Lockers, Game Rooms and Other Necessities.

The swimming pool will be large enough to permit the holding of dual and inter-collegiate meets. It will be possible to race four men at a time instead of only two, as is the case in the present pool. Suitable seating capacity for spectators will be provided and also necessary locker rooms and dressing quarters for the teams will be built in this first unit.

The in-door dirt playing field will provide an in-door baseball diamond, running track, jumping and vaulting pits, and space to practice other games usually played only out-of-doors. It will cover an area of over 20,000 square feet. In this unit there will be a limited number of lockers and shower baths, so as to prevent the tracking of dirt into other parts of the building.

The gymnasium floor will be large enough to permit the playing of three basketball games at one time, and will be designed to care for the needs of all kinds of gymnasium work and in-door games. Adequate seating capacity for several thousand spectators will be made. In ad-

dition to the big main "gym" floor, there will be a general exercise room to accommodate small classes, individual instruction and special work. This floor will be about the size of the present Lyman Gymnasium floor.

In the fourth unit, will be the administration quarters, including offices, coaches' and supervisors' rooms, lecture rooms, and a big trophy room. Also in this section will be located the general locker rooms and special team locker rooms for the 'Varsity and Freshman squads. Adjoining these will be ample shower bath and toilet accommodations, drying and rubbing rooms and trainers' quarters. Provision will be made for a laundry, stock rooms and space to house the tools and field equipment. Handball and squash courts and wrestling, boxing and fencing rooms will be either in this unit or in the gymnasium unit. These four great units will provide Brown with an equipment equal to any in the country.

On another page are preliminary sketches showing the proposed layout of the various described units and tentative drawings of the suggested south and west elevations. The Gymnasium-Field House Committee will present these sketch plans to the Corporation for its consideration at its June meeting. If the Corporation passes favorably upon the plans, it is hoped that in the near future Brown will see the completion of one of the finest college athletic plants in the country. The out-of-door program of expansion is going forward rapidly, for with the dedication of Aldrich Field on May 16th last, the first big step in the enlargement of the athletic facilities was fulfilled, and with the completion of the Amphitheatre next fall the second great step will have been made. These two units provide for a 'Varsity

gridiron with a stadium which will accommodate 20,000 people and five auxiliary gridirons; and a 'Varsity baseball diamond with cement stands for 6,000 people and four auxiliary diamonds. These great playing fields for football, baseball, lacrosse, soccer or other out-of-door sports are located about a mile and a quarter from the campus. In addition to these facilities, there is close to the campus, on Thayer street, a somewhat smaller but nevertheless important development. It consists of nine new clay tennis courts and an open field suitable for football or soccer in the autumn and winter, and for baseball and lacrosse in the spring. Thus there has been provided ample out-of-door play-grounds to care for the physical needs of the entire student body.

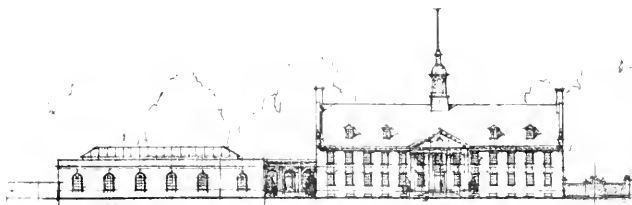
There remains, therefore, the task of providing in-door recreational accommodations which will be in keeping with these out-of-door facilities. Just as the various fields are intended to care for the needs of all the undergraduates, so must the gymnasium meet the requirements of not only the 'Varsity teams, but also the general student body. It is for this reason that the present Lyman Gymnasium is totally inadequate and that the erection of the above described new "play-house" is recommended.

The word "play-house" instead of gymnasium suggests what the Committee has in mind as to the uses to which this new building should be put. The old required gymnastic program consisting mainly of wand drills, dumb-bell exercises and calisthenics is being replaced by a schedule of games of various kinds. The tendency on the part of athletic directors to-day is to make the program one which will be sought after by the students, and not one to be avoided. Just as it is the normal thing to eat three meals a day and enjoy them, so it should be the natural desire of every student to go out on the athletic field or into the gymnasium each afternoon

and participate in a game that calls for physical exertion. Play and sport should take the place of the drudgery in gymnastic work. Furthermore, with these increased facilities both out-of-doors and in-doors, the physical department will be able to function during the entire academic year, and cater to all the students. In the past, "gym" work has been required of a portion of the student body for a very limited period each winter. In the future, the students will be asked to pursue a course of physical training the entire year, but they will be offered a large variety of games in which they may participate, and so in play fulfil the requirements of the physical department. Then will Dr. Marvel see a fuller realization of his slogan: "A team for every man, and every man on a team."

The question of the location of this proposed new gymnasium has called forth many expressions of opinion, but after much study and careful consideration of the problem from all angles, the Committee is unanimous in recommending that it be built on the southerly end of Aldrich Field. It may be of interest to the alumni to follow the steps that led up to this selection.

A little over a year ago, the Amphitheatre Campaign Committee raised over half a million dollars, which money was intended for the clearing and grading of the new fields on Cole avenue, the building of tennis courts, erection of a stadium to accommodate 20,000 people and baseball stands for 6,000, and finally, for a field house. All this development with the exception of the field house has been, or shortly will be, completed. When the Committee began to make plans for the field house, it was realized that the building must be in keeping with the increased playing fields and provide accommodations for all the students. This would necessitate many dressing rooms, about a thousand lockers and shower baths in pro-

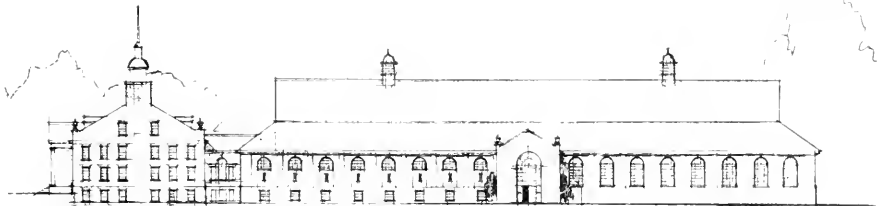


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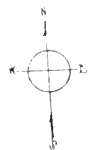
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portion. Such a building was estimated to cost nearly a quarter of a million dollars. It was then suggested that the new gymnasium might well incorporate both the field house and the gymnasium in one great building placed upon Aldrich Field. The idea rapidly gained in favor and the three committees having charge of various phases of the athletic expansion unreservedly endorsed it. By such a combination there will be eliminated the extravagant duplication of dressing rooms, lockers, shower baths and the supervision of these facilities. As outlined above, the modern conception of a gymnasium calls for a building of such proportions that the only available site large enough is on Aldrich Field. If an attempt were made to reduce the size to allow its location on or near the campus, the very essence of the athletic program would be defeated, for it would not serve the needs of all the students. Furthermore, there are many advantages to be gained by the concentration of the out-of-door and in-door facilities. While there is a very short time each year when games cannot be played in the open, yet for the stormy and cold weather, inside play rooms must be provided. To have these winter quarters adjacent to the open air play-grounds will enable the students to readily shift from day to day dependent upon the weather between the out-of-door and in-door accommodations. It is to be regretted that the gymnasium and in fact the entire athletic plant, including the football and baseball fields, cannot be located on or near the campus, but Brown is so situated that this is entirely out of the question. But just as an auxiliary out-of-door playing field has been provided close to the campus to care for the needs of students who have limited time to spend in recreation, so the new gymnasium will be supplemented by the retention of the present Lyman Gymnasium and Colgate Hoyt Swimming Pool for special classes and emergency work. There will be occasions when a student will find it difficult to go

to the new fields, but his needs will be cared for by the present gymnasium, swimming pool, and tennis courts and field on Thayer street. Nearly every student will be able and in fact should devote at least two consecutive hours daily to recreation. The Faculty is co-operating in the matter of arranging the schedule of classes so as to allow ample time for the physical requirements. At a recent meeting, the Faculty passed the following vote: "That it is the opinion of the Faculty that a schedule of classes can be arranged which will make it possible without adversely affecting the academic interests of the University to provide three periods a week, two hours each, for gymnasium work and other supervised physical training for all Freshmen of whom gymnasium work is now required."

Having in mind the elimination of the duplication of lockers, dressing rooms, shower baths and supervision, the size of the gymnasium required to fulfill the physical needs of the twelve hundred undergraduates, the advantages to be derived from the concentration of the athletic facilities, the retention of Lyman Gymnasium on the campus for special work, and the co-operation of the Faculty in arranging of schedules to allow sufficient time for physical education, the Committee feels that the new combined Gymnasium and Field House will be ideally located upon Aldrich Field.

Brown has always had the reputation of turning out excellent 'Varsity teams, and it is sincerely hoped that she will be able to maintain this same standing for many years to come, but on the other hand, it is equally important to provide facilities for the physical development of all the students, and the Committee feels that with the out-of-door development already realized and the in-door expansion as sketched above about to be undertaken, a goal long striven for will have been attained.



## Commencement Week

**F**OLLOWING is the official programme of Commencement week at Brown University.

Saturday, June 13—Alumnae Day.

12 M. Alumnae Luncheon.

1 P. M. Pembroke Hall. Annual Meeting of the Alumnae Association.

2.30 P. M. Address: Ida Clyde Clarke, Contributing Editor of the Pictorial Review.

4 P. M. Garden Party.

4.30 P. M. Reception to Dean Morriss and the President of the Alumnae Association.

6 P. M. Class Suppers and Reunions.

8.30 to 11.30 P. M. Alumnae Dance in Sayles Gymnasium.

Sunday, June 14.

4.30 P. M. First Baptist Meeting House. Baccalaureate Exercises. Sermon by Rev. Cornelius Woelfkin, D. D., of New York. Members of the graduating class will meet in front of Manning Hall at 4 P. M. and march to the Meeting House. Members of the graduating class of the Women's College will meet at the same time at Pembroke Hall.

Monday, June 15—Class Day.

3 P. M. Middle Campus. Band Concert and Promenade.

4 P. M. Under the Elms. Adolph William Eckstein, President of the Senior Class. Address: Gordon Keith Chalmers. Class Odist: Alden Holmes Norton. Class Orator: Thomas Lynch Johnson. Class Poet: Gordon Keith Chalmers. Class Prophet: John Theodore Pohlman. Address: Professor Robert Hudson George. Class Sing.

5.30 P. M. Brown Union. Informal tea.

8 P. M. Promenade Concert and Illumination of the college grounds.

9 P. M. Senior Class Dance. Sayles Hall.

12 P. M. Senior Assembly and Parade.

The Senior Banquet will be held at 6 P. M. on Tuesday, June 16.

Tuesday, June 16.

9.30 A. M. Administration Building. Business Meeting of the Rhode Island Alpha of Phi Beta Kappa.

10.30 A. M. Sayles Gymnasium. Ivy Day Exercises. Address: Faith Lillburn Rogers, President of the Senior Class. Address: Professor Albert Knight Potter. Address: Dean Morriss. Address to Undergraduates: Margaret Mary Banigan. Planting of Class Ivy. Addresses by Gertrude Louise Annan and Pauline Katherine O'Connor.

9 P. M. Sayles Gymnasium. Senior Reception.

8.15 P. M. Annual Meeting of the Alumni Association in Rockefeller Hall. Report on changes in Constitution will be made, followed by an Informal Entertainment.

Wednesday, June 17—One Hundred and Fifty-Seventh Annual Commencement.

9 A. M. Middle Campus. The procession will form in the rear of University Hall. All Alumni are requested to march to the Meeting House. The Alumnae procession will form at the same time at Pembroke Hall.

10 A. M. First Baptist Meeting House. Exercises of the Graduating Class. Orations by Charles Pomeroy Ives, 2nd, Gordon Keith Chalmers, Arthur Worthington Packard, Thomas Lynch Johnson. Awarding of Degrees. Conferring of Honorary Degrees.

After the exercises the Alumni will return in procession to the campus.

12.15 P. M. Alumni Luncheon. Rockefeller Hall and the Faculty Club. Tickets (\$1.00).

12.15 P. M. Alumnae Luncheon. Manning Hall. Tickets (\$1.00).

1 P. M. The college bell will be rung for the march to Sayles Hall. In addition

to the President of the University and the Governor of the State, the speakers will include Honorable John Hessin Clarke, ex-Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, and Professor George Lyman Kittredge of Harvard University. Honorable Frederic Moseley Sackett '90, U. S. Senator from Kentucky, will preside.

4 P. M. Aldrich Field. Baseball Game. Brown vs. Vermont.

9 to 11 P. M. Faculty Club, 13 Brown street. President's reception. Alumni are requested to attend without further invitation.

Thursday, June 18.

9.30 A. M. Administration Building. Meeting of the Corporation.

The Faculty Club, 13 Brown street, will be open for the use of alumni during Commencement Week.

The University Club, 219 Benefit street, will keep open house for alumni on Commencement Day.

A Registration and Information Bureau, for the use of alumni, will be open in the John Hay Library (College street entrance), from 7 to 10 P. M. on Monday, June 15th, from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M. on Tuesday, June 16th, and from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. on Wednesday, June 17th. All visiting alumni are requested to register as soon as possible after reaching Providence.

## Junior Week Festivities



R. J. PAYOR

Chairman of 1926 Junior Prom Committee



J. W. NAGLE

Chairman of 1926 Junior Week Committee

**F**OLLOWING was the program for Junior week:

Thursday, May 7, 4 P. M., Tea Dance,

Rockefeller Hall. 8 P. M., Musical Clubs' Concert and Dance, Providence Biltmore.

Friday, May 8, 3.15 P. M., "Androcles and the Lion," played by Sock and Buskin, Union Auditorium. 9 P. M., Junior Promenade, Sayles Hall.

Saturday, May 9, 2 P. M., Track Meet,

Brown vs. Bowdoin, Andrews Field. 4 P. M., Baseball, Brown 1928 vs. Holy Cross 1928, Andrews Field. 8 P. M., Junior Frolic, Sayles Hall.

## Observe the Law at Commencement

THE suggestion comes from the University Administration that the following editorials might properly be reprinted in the Alumni Monthly before Commencement.

We wish to say for ourselves that we unreservedly indorse the sentiments contained in these editorials.

The first is from the Yale Alumni Weekly. It is on the question of law observance:

The Commencement liquor question should be settled without further individual opposition on the part of those reunionists who object to being told what to do about the Volstead Act at home.

Thoughtless graduates, bent on having an old-fashioned good time when coming back for reunions, can undo the efforts of the whole year on the part of the university itself to make its undergraduates understand what it expects of them in this particular.

Whatever may be the individual opinion about enforced prohibition in the country, it happens to be the law, and, that being so, there is left to law-abiding citizens one thing to do, and that is to enforce it. Especially is this true of the American university men, who, if any, should be leaders in a public matter of this sort. And especially is it true of the actions of such men when returning to their university.

The second editorial is from the New York American:

In bonding himself for ten thousand dollars not to break the liquor law, Mr. Vauclain has done much more than fur-

nish a passing story. He has helped fasten the attention of the moneyed class on the question of whether they wish to propagate lawlessness or not. In the end they are the ones who stand to lose most if general respect for law is loosened.

There is no use looking at this question as if it could be a short one. The amendment cannot be repealed as far ahead as can be seen. The largest change that is any way conceivable is to soften the Volstead law and the State laws as much as the Supreme Court will allow. Such changes would leave the question of obedience to the law where it now stands.

Also, it is becoming a world issue and will become one more and more. England is apparently launching into it with more seriousness than ever before. The leaders who are now pushing the question forward include Conservatives like Astor and Dunmore and Laborites like Snowden and Sidney Webb.

Canada, retreating from absolute prohibition, shows no tendency to go back to the free saloon. What she is looking for is the highest degree of limitation that can be effectively carried out. The leader along that line of treatment has been Sweden, where it is fully successful.

A solution in this country may be some distance off. Men like Mr. Vauclain, who treat it seriously, will help toward that solution, whatever it may be, much more than will the other rich men who do nothing but make employment for bootleggers and complain because their tastes are interfered with.

# The Clubs

*By Alfred H. Gurney '07, Alumni Manager*

## BOSTON

With thirty-five members present, the Brown Club of Boston met at lunch in the Boston Chamber of Commerce May 6 to hear Clifford S. Anderson '00 of Worcester, Mass., speak on "Where Do We Go From Here?" "He entertained us all," writes Paul O. Curtis '15, secretary of the Boston Club, "with a review of conditions in industrial life and gave us the thought that through education we might be able to overcome some of the modern tendencies which are harmful. It would be very hard to report at length what he talked about, as it was not exactly a prepared address, but a talk giving his individual ideas on the subject of economic and social unrest and what, to his mind, might solve the problem. As you know, Mr. Anderson is President of the Associated Industries of Massachusetts, which demands considerable of his time in going about the State making speeches before manufacturers and other groups."

## MERRIMACK VALLEY

William H. Cady '98 will serve another year as President of the Merrimack Valley Brown Club. James S. Eastham '19 will again do duty as Secretary and Treasurer. The members of the Club re-elected them at the annual meeting held May 9 at the Red Tavern, Methuen, Mass. Certainly there would be little complaint from the Alumni Office if every Brown Club had officers as alert and energetic as Messrs. Cady and Eastham. A fruitful year to them and to their Club!

Dinner preceded the business meeting, and then Executive Secretary Appleget and Dean Burwell spoke. The former discussed at some length the problem of regulating the size of colleges (we quote from

the report of the meeting in the Lawrence Daily Eagle). He told of the difficulty of selecting the young men who are best fitted for a college education and also dwelt upon the subject of the proper relationship between athletics and college life. "All of the higher institutions must decide whether athletic sports are going to dominate college life or if the colleges are going to rule their athletics," he maintained. An illuminating talk, this well-spoken effort of the executive secretary. So was that of Dean Burwell, who told of his work with the Freshmen, and explained the efforts made to study the boys, to find out why they failed and, whenever possible, to give them the necessary aid to turn failure into success.

The roster included President Cady, E. T. Clough '20, R. S. Curley '07, C. M. Downing '18, Alfred Goddard '23, Dr. A. G. Griffin '77, J. G. Gordon '89, J. L. Kent '92, N. R. Kinney '19, C. H. McIntire '85, G. A. Mellen '98, H. S. Pratt '01, Dr. H. D. Smith '03, F. M. Boyce '09, Richard Olney '92, T. B. Appleget '17, W. R. Burwell '15, J. S. Eastham '19, Mitchell Owens, Beverly Ingalls, P. J. O'Brien and Richard Pratt.

## ROCHESTER

The Brown Club of Rochester has had two luncheons since the memorable visit of Dean Burwell last March. On April 21 we had as guests two prospective freshmen who expect to enter Brown in the fall as a result of Dean Burwell's coming here. The members present were John B. Barbour '91, Atwater '99, Cristy '16, Cross '05, Hawkins '16, Honiss '08, Pevear '02, W. K. White '07, and the Secretary.

On May 12 we had another agreeable surprise by having with us Rev. Merrick

L. Streeter '07, of Tavoy, Burma, who has been out there 14 years. Streeter gave us an entertaining account of his work among the Burmese and of the conditions, political, religious and social, existing in the country. Both he and Rev. Irving J. Beckwith '04 of Olyphant, Pa., were here for the Commencement of Rochester Theological Seminary. Rev. Francis Maines '05, who has been in Rochester for several years, was also at the luncheon.

*E. W. Holmes '03*

### LYNN

At the last meeting of the Brown Club of Lynn, held at the home of Charles H.

Pinkham '22, it was decided to start an agitation which would make it thoroughly understood (so Frank E. Marble '05 wrote the Alumni Office) that Lynn Classical High school is the place for boys to go who wish to prepare for college. There have been a number of cases of Lynn English High school boys who were unable to enter Brown because they had not taken the right course. A committee has been appointed by the Club to take up this matter with the Superintendent of Schools and with the School Committee. "We hope to see the proper publicity given to it," Mr. Marble concluded.

## Baseball

### BROWN 2, LEHIGH 3

Lehigh beat Brown at baseball on Andrews Field, May 2. Neubauer allowed 6 hits, struck out 7 men, gave 2 bases on balls and made 2 wild pitches.

### YALE JUST BEATS BROWN

Yale nosed out Brown, 7 to 6, in a weird game at New Haven on May 6. The day was bleak and windy. Neubauer pitched for Brown and Ducky Pond, Yale's premier boxman, opposed him, the odds being slightly in favor of Pond up to the eighth inning. At the opening of that frame the score was 1-0 in favor of Yale. Then Brown produced an avalanche of six runs and seemed to have the game on ice. But alas, as in the case of the tragic last-period rally of Yale at football last fall, the Bulldog came from behind and won by scoring two runs in the eighth and four in the ninth. The winning run came when Ruckstull, Brown's crack second baseman, who had already accepted eleven chances in the game without an error, was called on to take a high fly directly over the pitcher's box. In the high wind he missed it and the game was over.

The Brown lineup: Ruckstull 2, Cutler

s, Trumbower cf p, Dixon r, Mitchell 3, Keefer 1, Williams lf, Welch c, Neubauer p, Donovan cf.

Neubauer retired in the ninth after two runs had been scored by Yale, bringing her total to five. Yale made 12 hits off Neubauer and one off Trumbower. Brown made 7 hits off Pond. Two Yale men were out when the winning run was scored. Neubauer struck out five men and Pond struck out nine. Errors: Brown 4, Yale 7.

### PRINCETON DOWNS BROWN

In a game featured by heavy hitting and many errors on the part of the Princeton infield, the Brown 'Varsity baseball team lost to Princeton, 14-4, on May 9 at Princeton.

Each team was forced to send in three different pitchers in the course of the game, but the Brown twirlers were hit the harder, being touched for thirteen safeties; four were three-baggers and two were doubles. Princeton's moundsmen allowed nine hits, LaBeaume, their first pitcher, letting in three of Brown's four runs before he was replaced by Dignan.

The Black and Orange squad started off

early and secured five runs in the initial frame from Captain Trumbower on five passes and one hit. Neubauer was sent in to replace Trumbower in the second, but was forced to retire after five innings in favor of Quill, as he was found for seven hits.

### DARTMOUTH BEATS BROWN

The pathetic weakness of the Brown Varsity baseball team in the pitching department was again shown at Hanover, May 13, when Stickel allowed the Green hitters no less than 8 passes to first. The final score of the game was 8-3 in favor of Dartmouth. For 6 innings Stickel continued in the box and at the end of that period the score was 8-1 against him. Then Quill was substituted in the box. Hits, by Brown off Fleet of Dartmouth, 6; by Dartmouth off Stickel of Brown, 7 in 6 innings; off Quill, 1 in 2 innings. Struck out, by Fleet 3, by Stickel 2, by Quill 2. Base on balls, off Fleet 4, off Stickel 8. Home run, Harris of Dartmouth. Two-base hit, Stevens of Dartmouth. Errors, Dartmouth 6, Brown 3 (Cutler 2, Keefer). Trumbower was at centrefield for Brown, Keefer at first and Holden behind the bat.

### BROWN BEATS DARTMOUTH

Captain Trumbower pitched the Brown team to victory over Dartmouth at Aldrich Field on May 16, the opening thus being under ideal auspices.

Although wild at times, Trumbower pitched a great game, allowing Dartmouth but five hits and striking out 10 batsmen. Three of the strikeouts were registered in the third frame, when Owl, Hudgins and Elliott went back to the bench without touching the sphere once.

Fleet, also a left-hander, looked for the first four innings like a winner. With the advent of the fifth, however, he got into trouble. He went down the slide again in the sixth and then for the last time in the eighth, when Holden put the finishing touches on the struggle. It was only Fleet's masterly recoveries in both the fifth

and sixth innings that saved his team from being completely snowed under, for on each occasion three Brown runners were crowding the sacks when the third outs were made.

Dartmouth pushed across its tallies in the second and fourth innings and Brown scored in the fifth, sixth and eighth.

Bob Williams of White Plains, N. Y., carried off the hitting honors of the day with three hits out of four times at bat, one of which was a double. Williams also scored two of Brown's runs. Trumbower, with two singles, Ruckstull with a double and Holden with his timely hit that won the game in the eighth accounted for the remainder of the home nine's hits.

Brown made 7 hits and 5 errors, and Dartmouth made 5 hits and 3 errors. Trumbower struck out 10 and Fleet 5. Trumbower gave 6 bases on balls and Fleet 3.

### BROWN BEATS R. I. STATE

At Kingston on May 19 Brown had no difficulty in beating Rhode Island State College. The score was 12 to 3. Quill started to pitch for Brown and held the State team to 2 hits and 1 run in five innings. Danzell was then tried in the box and in the remaining four innings kept the enemy's hits down to two, with two runs. Brown made 14 hits to State's 4 and 5 errors to State's 2. Quill, Danzell and LaChapelle of State each struck out 2. Quill gave 1 base on balls and Danzell 2, while LaChapelle and Wright of State each allowed 3. Welch and Marth caught for Brown. Keefer was at right and Williams at left, but when Brown got the game safely in hand they were relieved by Dugan and Parker. Hoffman was at first, Ruckstull at second, Dixon at third, Cutler at short and McDonald and Trumbower at centre.

### BROWN BEATS PENN. STATE

Brown beat Pennsylvania State 5-4 at Aldrich Field on May 22. Neubauer pitched for Brown, allowing only 4 hits, while Brown made 15.

# 1875, the 50-Year Class

(Information furnished by William H. Scott, Class Secretary)

*Albert Davis Bosson.* President of County Savings Bank, Justice of District Court of Chelsea, Mass.; president and director in many banks and corporations.

*Samuel LeNord Caldwell.* Retired physician at Colorado Springs. President of a number of mining companies in Colorado. Officer in Society of Colonial Wars and in Sons of the American Revolution in Colorado.

*William Pendleton Chipman, D. D.* Retired clergyman at Manchester, Conn. A prolific writer of books and stories for young people.

*John Francis Clark.* Deputy Secretary of the State of Rhode Island; 33d degree Mason.

*Charles Elmer Field.* Retired physician; commercial cut-flower grower at Brockton, Mass.

*Thomas Stantial Gladding.* Noted analytical and consulting chemist of New York city.

*William Chace Greene.* Retired industrial manager, Providence, R. I.

*George Irving Hopkins.* Teacher at Manchester, N. H.

*Nelson Bishop Jones.* Clergyman at Hingham Centre, Mass.

*Howard Payson Joslin.* Retired at age limit after 30 years' service with the Pennsylvania Railroad; grower of outdoor cut flowers at Ben Avon, Pa.

*Josiah Medbery, M. D.* Retired professor at Columbus, Ohio, and 33d degree Mason.

*George Wilson Millard.* Retired Court reporter and teacher of Shorthand at Bristol, R. I.

*Alvin Fowler Pease.* For the past 27 years has been connected with the Winship Teachers' Agency and the N. E. Publishing Co., Boston, being owner of the former and Treasurer and Secretary of the latter. Is also President of the Boston Baptist Social Union.

*Robert Charles Ray.* Clergyman at East Providence, R. I.

*Charles Abraham Reese.* Retired from the ministry at the close of 1920, after 43 years of public work. In 1921 and 1922 spent 15 months in travel in Europe.

*William Henry Scott.* Vice President of Bryant & Stratton College, Providence. Has been connected with the college for over 47 years; 33d degree Mason.

*Benjamin Ide Wheeler.* President Emeritus and Professor of Comparative Philology of University of California. Is a very prolific bibliographer, and has received many honorary degrees from various colleges. His home is in Berkeley, Cal.

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## Campus Topics

The University's tuition price next year will be \$350 instead of \$300.

The annual Sophomore Ball on May 27 was a successful event.

Casements, the literary magazine published by Brown undergraduates, has given up the ghost.

Beginning next September, Brown University will institute a system of reading for honors similar to that of the Oxford honor schools. The new system will be tried out first in the English Department, and possibly in one other department.

The Brown Freshman baseball team, which started out with a rush early in the season, lost its third straight on May 13 at Andrews Field, being downed by the Boston University Freshmen, 4-3. In each of these three games the Brown '28 team has missed by a single run. The Brown pitcher was Thomas, who allowed the visitors 8 hits, struck out 9 and gave only one pass. Hadley, the star pitcher of the team, played in right field. Brown made only 4 hits off Jaffe of Boston.

The Brown Freshmen beat the Harvard Freshmen at baseball in Cambridge, May 16, 4-1. Hadley pitched for Brown, allowing only 3 hits. Brown made only 3 hits off Linscott. Errors: Brown 1, Harvard 4.

At New Haven, on May 20, the Yale Second baseball team beat the Brown Freshmen 6-4, although at the end of the fourth inning the latter had a 3-0 lead. Hadley and Gurney were the Freshman battery. Yale made only 5 hits to Brown's 10, but 6 Brown errors spilled the beans.

A new system is being used in the playing of the interfraternity baseball games this year. The fraternities have been divided into ten groups, and the eliminations will be carried out as in tennis tourna-

ments. Six rounds are to be played. No 'Varsity or Freshman baseball, track or tennis men are eligible to play in interfraternity baseball games.

Brown beat Boston University at golf, May 6, 6-1.

The Brown golf team, beaten last year 6-0 by the New Bedford Country Club, defeated the Massachusetts players on May 13 by a score of 4-2.

The Brown golf team beat Amherst 4-2 on May 16 at Providence.

Bowdoin beat Brown at tennis, May 6, 4 matches to 2. Nelson was the only Brown winner. With nine new courts it does seem as if tennis ought to take a brace on the Hill.

M. I. T. beat Brown at tennis, May 9, 8 matches to 0, emphasizing the Bowdoin victory of three days earlier.

The Brown tennis team beat Clark University 7-0 at Providence, May 10. Captain Fellman of Brown was back with the team and materially strengthened it. Marinsky, Fellman, Wright, Richards, Nelson and Walker were the Brown winners.

The Brown Freshman tennis team was beaten by St. George's School of Newport, 3-2 on the St. George's courts, May 13. Swan and Weaver of Brown won in the singles and Eddy lost. In the doubles Swan and Eddy lost, and so did Weaver and Owen.

Williams beat Brown in a field and track meet at Williamstown, May 2, by a score of 81-54.

Bowdoin beat Brown in a field and track meet at Andrews Field, May 9, the score being 72½ to 62½.

Columbia beat Brown at a track and field meet in New York, May 16. Score 88¼ to 37¾.



# Brunonians Far and Near

## Alumni

1867

Rev. Joseph F. Fielden, minister, veteran of the Civil War and one of the first of the University's baseball players, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. R. Rogers, in Belfast, Me., on April 11, 1925. In failing health for some time, a friend wrote the Alumni Office, "he maintained to the very last his characteristic unselfishness and desire to lighten instead of add to the burdens of others." At his funeral in Winchendon, Mass., four of his sons acted as bearers, placing his body to rest beside that of their mother. Mr. Fielden was born in Somersworth, N. H., Oct. 23, 1843, the son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Scott) Fielden. He came to Brown from the public schools of Somersworth, and, after taking his A. B. degree, completed his education for the ministry at Rochester

Theological Seminary. During the Civil War he served in the Sixth Regiment, Massachusetts Volunteer Militia. He was married Jan. 16, 1873, to Miss Nellie M. Brown of Fisherville, N. H., who died in 1884. On May 4, 1886, he was married to Ada G. Gardner of Winchester, Mass., who died in March 1908. The only child of the first marriage, Henry B. Fielden, died in 1921. Of the second marriage, four sons and two daughters, Paul, Andrew, Clarence and Robert, and Mrs. Renworth R. Rogers and Mrs. Lawrence T. Cummings, survive him, together with four grandchildren. Mr. Fielden was in the Baptist ministry for 40 years, having retired in 1912. His pastorates were in Massachusetts and New Hampshire and faithfully, the records say, did he serve them.

1870

Rev. Dr. John M. English of Newton

## INTERESTING FACTS OF HISTORY

### George Washington and His Commission

On July 3, 1775, Gen. George Washington took command of the colonial forces at Cambridge, Mass., within the shadow of Harvard College. This event will be appropriately celebrated on July 3, 1925.

The commission, which made George Washington "General and Commander-in-Chief of the Army of the United Colonies" by vote of the Continental Congress at Philadelphia, is dated June 19, 1775, and is signed by John Hancock, who was then President of Congress.

This commission was the first historic document signed by John Hancock and next to the Declaration of Independence, signed by him the next year, is the most important to which he attached his famous signature.

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Theological Institution, speaking at the centenary gathering of the Rhode Island State Baptist Convention in Providence last month on "Great Baptist Educators of the Century," named President Faunce as one of the three leading men described by the title of his lecture. The other two were Rush Rhees of the University of Rochester and Ernest D. Burton of the University of Chicago.

Dr. John B. F. Herreshoff and Mrs. Herreshoff, formerly Mrs. Irma Ridley of Atlanta, Ga., are now making their home at the Hotel Beresford, New York. Dr. Herreshoff, one of the foremost chemists of the country, was the first American to receive the Perkin medal for work in chemistry and metallic industries.

1873

Frank M. Mathewson has written the Alumni Office that his mailing address is now Peaks Island, Me. Mr. Mathewson is president of the Brown Club of Portland.

1874

Dr. Forrest G. Eddy was elected a member of the executive committee of the Providence Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals at the 55th annual meeting held last month. The society is planning to erect its own building on Fountain street, Providence, this year.

1875

Judge Albert D. Bosson of Chelsea, Mass., has been spending the last two months on a pleasure tour of Europe. He is expected to arrive in New York June 16 and to reach Providence in time for Commencement Day exercises.

1876

Dr. Eugene P. King, assistant superintendent of health of Providence, was chairman of the contagious disease section of the New England Health Institute which met in Portland, Me., last month.

1883

Isaac B. Burgess was the principal speaker at the graduation exercises of the Community School of Religious Education held in Manning Hall on the campus, May 11. His subject was "The New Pro-

gramme of Religious Education," and he "pointed to the new emphasis being placed on children as the centre of all religious teaching." Charles R. Haslam '02, chairman of the advisory council of the school, also spoke.

1885

Judge Arthur P. Sumner, secretary of the class, has sent the Alumni Office a copy of the notice telling of the 40th Reunion. "On Tuesday, June 16, 1925," it reads, "we will celebrate our double twentieth or fourth decade Anniversary (whichever you prefer). The occasion would seem to offer one of the most interesting days of our lives. If Experience the great Teacher and Time the great Ripener have done their part (as of course they have), there will be foregathered at that time something of the quintessence of wisdom and congeniality. Knight Richmond has again generously invited us to be his guests at Seaconnet, so we will meet in town and motor to his restful home by the sea, there to renew some of the cheery memories of the past." Judge Sumner notes that of the 58 members who were graduated in 1885, 17 have passed on—three since 1920—Crawford Hill, Frank Peckham and Charles Reed.

1886

Professor A. Clinton Crowell of the department of Germanic languages and literatures on the Hill is a member of the New England committee of the Modern Foreign Language Study, which is beginning a three-year study of the teaching of French, German, Italian and Spanish in this country.

1888

James F. Denison, who has been an officer of the Montana Power Co., with offices in Butte, Mont., since 1916, has come East once more and is now receiving his mail at 25 Broadway, New York, care of the Montana Power Co.

1892

William Chauncy Langdon is now in charge of the Historical Department of the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. of New York. His business address is 195 Broadway, New York.

1893

Wendell A. Mowry has been unanimously re-elected superintendent of schools at Taunton, Mass., with a \$200 increase of salary.

Professor Frederic P. Gorham of the University faculty has been elected a member of the Board of Park Commissioners of Providence for a three-year term, beginning last month. Professor Gorham has been active in Providence city affairs for many years, being commanding officer of the campaign against the mosquito and having served since 1914 as Deputy Inspector of Milk.

Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn was the guest of his old friend and co-teacher, Professor Walter G. Everett '85, on the campus last month and spoke before Professor Everett's class in ethics. The Brown Daily Herald had an excellent interview with the former Dean, who was looking extremely well. Dr. Meiklejohn also visited President Faunce before he left for Boston to fill a speaking engagement.

1894

Henry D. Sharpe of Providence has been elected treasurer of the Unitarian Layman's League.

Fred Tenney, catcher in his college days but one of the greatest major league first basemen in history, was present at the dedication game at Aldrich Field, May 16, together with Charles E. Bassett '85, John A. Gammons '98 and other University baseball stars of shining memory.

1895

A thoroughly favorable and delightfully written review of Dallas Lore Sharp's new book, "The Spirit of the Hive," appeared in the book supplement of the New York Sunday Times May 10. The volume is published by Harper & Brothers.

John A. Tillinghast, chairman of the Thirtieth Reunion Committee, asks the Alumni Monthly to be sure to note that "the class is planning to hold its reunion at the Rhode Island Country Club, Nyatt, on Tuesday, June 16, the day before Commencement." It is a pleasure to comply with Mr. Tillinghast's request and to add that serving with him on the committee are

Edward P. Jastram, Henry J. Hoye, Royal C. Taft and Walter C. Wyckoff.

The boys of Worcester Academy, according to the Worcester Telegram, have at last realized their dream of a week-end camp where they might relax and put study out of mind. They have named it Camp Aldrich, after Fred D. Aldrich, senior master. Clifford S. Anderson '00 was chairman of the committee which selected the site for the camp.

1898

Stacy R. Warburton is now Professor of Christian Missions in Berkeley Divinity School, Berkeley, Cal.

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assistant house surgeon and urologist at St. Joseph's Hospital, Providence, died at his home in Providence on May 16, 1925. He had been active in the practice of medicine since 1904. Dr. Corrigan was born in Providence Nov. 7, 1875, the son of Thomas and Mary A. (Cole) Corrigan. He prepared at Mowry and Goff's school, went to Holy Cross for a year and then entered Brown, being graduated with the class of 1898. In 1899 he received the degree of A. M. from St. Xavier's College New York, and in 1902 his M. D. from Columbia. Shortly after beginning practice in Providence he became physician to St. Vincent's Infant Asylum. Then he joined the staff of St. Joseph's Hospital and continued there until his death. He also served as consulting surgeon to St. Vincent's. He was married June 21, 1916, to Miss Martha K. Cole of Providence, who survives him, together with two daughters, Mary Louise and Martha Corrigan. Dr. Corrigan in college belonged to Phi Kappa. He was a member of the Providence and American Medical Societies, the American Urologists' Association and the American College of Surgeons.

1901

Ernest G. Hapgood, head master of the Girls' Latin School, Boston, presided at the annual spring meeting of the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, held May 1 and 2 in Pittsfield, Mass. Professor Walter Ballou Jacobs '82 was secretary of the meeting, and Dean Otis E. Randall '84 read a tentative report for the committee on college entrance requirements. Yes, there was distinctly a Brown tinge to the gathering.

1902

Charles Perley Smith postcards that his home address is now 3817 Kanawha st., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Walter R. Bullock represented Brown at the "Go to College Day" of the Y. M. C. A., White Plains, N. Y., last month. Mr. Bullock told us that the Antioch room was the busiest one in the place. Looks as if the announcement that the Rev. Charles Francis Potter would go to Antioch next fall had been read by many of our boys of college age.

1903

Arthur L. Philbrick, for many years the efficient treasurer of the University Club of Providence, has resigned because of pressure of other business.

Buffalo State Normal School, of which Harry F. Rockwell is principal, has been authorized by the New York State Board of Regents to grant a degree upon the completion of a four-year course in its general department. Dr. Rockwell has 1047 students in his school, the entrance requirements for which are quite similar to the requirements for college. He has been principal since 1919 and has done progressive work in bringing the institution up to the high standard and excellent reputation it now enjoys.

1904

Harry W. Hastings spoke at a dinner given in New York May 15 to open a campaign for \$400,000 for a dormitory at the New York State College for Teachers at Albany. Dr. Hastings (or should we say Professor?) is in charge of the department of English at the Teachers' College.

1905

Professor Herbert F. Davison of the University faculty was one of the speakers at a joint meeting of the New York Section of the American Chemical Society and the Chemistry Teachers' Club held in New York on May 1. His subject was "Lecture Table Demonstrations in Chemistry."

1907

Victor A. Schwartz has become associated with Harris, Forbes & Company, investments, as manager of their Providence office in the Rhode Island Hospital Trust Building. A promotion for Vic, and we congratulate him on it.

Lee White didn't tell us a word about it, but we've seen a letter from him signing himself "General Manager, The New York Commercial, 38 Park Row, New York." The Commercial is one of the best business newspapers in the country and it has our congratulations on getting a first-class general manager.

Merrick Streeter was a visitor to the Alumni Office one day last month, having

just arrived from his missionary station in Burma, where he has been since he was graduated. This is his first trip home since 1918, and he will be here for a year and a half. He's looking well (a little heavier than he used to be), and he admitted that he was glad to be home once more. His address is Route 11, Box 29, Penacook, N. H.

To the first winner of the class scholarship we tip our chapeau. Parkman Sayward of Cambridge, Mass., football player, wrestler, good student and president of the Cammorian Club, measures up admirably to the standard set by the class in providing that the scholarship should be awarded in the Senior year to "a student who combines in high degree scholastic ability, athletic ability and character." Sayward received a check covering the amount of the scholarship (\$150) at a public service in chapel, Wednesday, May 6. President Hurley made the speech of presentation. On Monday, May 11, Say-

ward was the guest at a luncheon at the University Club given by the Providence members of 1907. Present were Branch, Clark, McEvoy, Jones, Eddy, Knowles, Miller, Curtis and Gurney. George Hurley got all tied up in a law case and couldn't attend.

1908

Hunter Marston has been elected to the board of directors of the reorganized firm of Dodge Brothers, Inc., motor car manufacturers.

Rev. Charles Francis Potter has announced his resignation, effective next October, as pastor of the West Side Unitarian Church, New York. He will go to Antioch College, Yellow Springs, O., as executive secretary. "I am an organizer and an educator, not an orator, pastor or pulpiteer," he told his congregation. "Liberal religion and education are closely allied. We shall still be working for the same cause, and we shall not be separated." Potter has three fine boys, and we hope

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1909

Johnny Foote writes under date of April 20th from Osaka, Japan, that his steamer will not arrive in this country soon enough for him to attend the Class Reunion at Commencement. He is expecting shortly after his arrival to decide definitely on a location in this country for his year of furlough. At any rate, he is planning before he returns to Japan to be with the class for some reunions. Johnny has probably been one of the boys least seen by the class since graduation, and we all want to have a talk with him and hear the interesting things which he has up his sleeve.

Clarence Johnson has an article in the March-April Journal of Applied Sociology entitled the "Evil Eye and Other Superstitions in Turkey." Clarence writes that he and Mrs. Johnson are thoroughly enjoying their life and work at Bucknell, where he has over 120 students in his sociology classes.

Moses L. Crossley, chief chemist of the Calco Co., Bound Brook, N. J., is now president of the American Institute of Chemists, having been thus honored by his associates at the last annual meeting. Crossley stands out as one of the successful chemists who received their training on College Hill. He taught at Brown for a time and was associate professor of chemistry at Wesleyan when he quit the classroom to return to the practical laboratory.

1912

Albert L. Slade has left Providence for

the suburbs, he informs us, and his new address is Box 95, Barrington, R. I.

1913

Ira Lloyd Letts, Assistant Attorney General of the United States, was the guest of honor at a dinner given him by his friends at the Hotel Biltmore, Providence, on May 5. John S. Murdock '96 was toastmaster, and among the speakers were Dean Otis E. Randall '84 and United States Senator Jesse H. Metcalf '21, honorary. "Brown is proud of her Olney, her Hay and her Hughes, and tonight she is proud of her Ira Lloyd Letts," said Dean Randall. Ira modestly accepted all of the pleasant things spoken of him and in his own brief speech made a plea for a wider public interest in the affairs of government.

1916

Bancroft H. Brown of the department of Mathematics at Dartmouth has published in recent numbers of the American Mathematical Monthly articles with these titles: "A Theorem on Isogonal Tetrahedra" and "The Twenty-one Point Cubic."

Francis J. Brady was elected a member of the new school committee for Providence last month. Brady is the youngest member of the body, and we are sure that he will prove one of the most active. He is associated with the law firm of Swan, Keeney and Smith.

Guy Wells has deserted Montrose, Pa., for Providence and is living at 244 Bowen st., almost within shadow of the elms on the front campus.

1919

Flavio Laudati, we learn, is serving as interne at the Polyclinic Hospital in Rome, where he expects soon to obtain a degree from the University of Rome.

Donald Clauss is associated with the Akerman-Standard Co., printers and loose-leaf manufacturers, with office and plant at 56 Pine st., Providence.

William E. Parmenter and S. Watson Smith were among those who recently took examinations for admission to the Rhode Island bar.

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that Howard McPeck and Edgar Lanpher celebrated the anniversary of their respective birthdays on April 15 by a dinner in their honor given by friends at the University Club, Providence. Among the guests were S. Watson Smith, Thomas F. Black, Jr., Roger T. Clapp and Fred B. Perkins. Black made a delightful address in French (which some understood) and Perkins read a poem to the composition of which he pleaded guilty.

1920

Rev. Frank I. Noyes is receiving his mail, he tells us, at Pelham Center, N. H. Noyes was formerly at Townsend, Mass., pastor of the Congregational Church there.

Allen Hill writes that he has changed his address to 4 Onondaga Place, Syracuse, N. Y.

The loyal Providence members of the class gathered in The Coffee House on April 28 to hear Bill Dewart lay down plans for our Fifth Reunion on June 16 (Everybody out!). Bill added fuel to the fires of enthusiasm for the Reunion so ardently that there was danger of the ramshackle building on College Hill catching fire. So he had to desist and we talked of other things. Louis Pieri told of the strain to an old man's constitution it was to be player-manager of the Steam Roller basketball five last winter, and to restrain the pep of the Central Falls High School basketballers this spring. Charlie Lawton modestly asserted that Miss Suzanne Lawton might not win the Olympic fancy diving competitions some 20 years hence, but that the other girls sure would know there had been a battle. Letters were read from far away and a telepathic message from George Carr said that he would have been present only Mr. Prescott Rhodes Carr, born April 27, 1925, had already developed such speed at cross-country that only he, i. e. George, could catch him up and return him to his crib at bedtime.

P. S.—In case everyone's radio wasn't working when the news was broadcast. That Reunion is to be at the Point Judith Country Club on June 16, morning, noon and night. Bring your golf clubs, tennis rackets and anything else desired. In sad conclusion, Steve, our own Earl Randolph

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Stephens will not be present. He is now in solitude preparing his mind for his marriage to Miss Corita Davis in Mexico City this summer. Providence will see him in the fall, however, when he and Mrs. Stephens will hold down a couple of the seats at one of the big games in the Amphitheatre.

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Tom Vance is on his way home after having spent the winter travelling through California. Tom is coming by way of the Panama Canal, and on his arrival expects to go to Narragansett Pier for the summer.

1921

Bob Noyes has been named as one of the winners of the Dexter scholarships at the Harvard Graduate School of Arts and Sciences. As the scholarships were established "to encourage young men to study profoundly the English language and to enable them to visit Oxford, Cambridge, or the cathedral towns of England," we have an idea of where Bob will spend the next year.

1923

Chet Worthington has gone and done it again. He has received one of the three \$1500 travelling scholarships given to graduates of the Pulitzer School of Journalism at Columbia "who shall have passed their examinations with the highest honor." Chet has made a real name for himself at Columbia and now, for the next year, he will see how they get the news and write the news in Europe and parts. The Brown Daily Herald (Chet was its editor-in-chief, you know) isn't such bad training ground after all; eh, what?

Joe Carter is studying at Howard University, Washington, and, we read in the Howard Alumnus, working out with the varsity football squad in spring practice.

Walt MacFarlane is back in the old home city of Seattle, Wash., and hungry for news of College Hill, he wrote recently. Now is the time to subscribe to the Alumni Monthly, we told him, and we're sure that he will.

Dwight Bartlett, after nearly two years of hard work in Holyoke, Mass., is now with the Windsor Division of the American Writing Paper Co., Windsor Locks, Conn.

1924

Bob Goodell and Tony Migliaccio, who are learning how to cut 'em up at Harvard Medical School, have won George Haven Scholarships, so we hear, because of their excellent work as first-year students.



Molly Meier has been a member of the Brown colony at Columbia during the last year, enrolled as a first-year student in the Law School. Molly hopes to be somewhere near the front row when the football amphitheatre is dedicated next fall.

Jack Brown tells us that he is in the retail shoe business, managing a store and supervising the advertising and publicity. His home address is 15 Ash ave., Flushing, N. Y.

Art Woodbourne, who left college in his Junior year, is studying medicine at the University of Michigan. Art's home is at 914 Franklin st., S. E., Grand Rapids, Mich.

Bob Locke is in the life insurance business in Pasadena, Cal. Bob was married Jan. 15, 1925, to Miss Hildegard Stivers, and he and Mrs. Locke are comfortably settled, thank you, at 801 Rodeo Drive, Beverly Hills, Cal.

George Foley is with Hornblower and Weeks, bonds and stocks, 42 Broadway, New York. George confesses that he's still single and likely to remain so for a time, more or less.

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#### ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Shaner of Overbrook, Philadelphia, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Dorothy Romaine Shaner, to Joseph Butterworth, Jr., '19. The wedding will take place this month.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Carpenter of Pawtucket, R. I., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margaret Allyn Carpenter, '18, Women's College, to Raymond C. Newton of Providence.

#### WEDDINGS

Theodore L. Sweet '22 and Miss Margaret Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James G. Young of Providence, were married at the Church of the Messiah, Providence, on May 2, 1925. Milton Glover '22 was best man, and the ushers included Carlton L. Dunham '21, Harold N. Mol-

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ter '22, W. Stanley Holt '22, Richard D. Greene '22 and Ernest W. McCormick '22. Mr. and Mrs. Sweet expect to settle in Boston. Mrs. Sweet, incidentally, is a sister of Mrs. Harold T. Eaton ('15) and Mrs. Henry T. Samson ('19).

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Reynolds of Providence have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mabel Emily Reynolds, to Carlton H. Bliss '24 on May 2, 1925. The ceremony was performed at the Church of the Epiphany, Providence, by the Rev. Henry Bassett. Robert T. Williams '23 was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Bliss will make their home in North Attleboro, Mass.

Harold G. Hood '20 and Miss Frances Maude Smith, a graduate of Smith College, 1923, were married at the Church of the Holy Name, Swampscott, Mass., on May 2, 1925. Preston H. Hood '12 was best man.

John J. Monk '24 of Chicago and Miss Adelaide Cook Banfield of Austin, Minn., were married at St. Martin's Church, Providence, on May 18 by the Rev. Arthur L. Washburn. Mark Flather '24 was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Monk will live in Chicago, where the active Jack is in advertising work.

### BIRTHS

1911—To Dr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Raia of Providence, a daughter, Jane Mary, on May 5, 1925.

1912—To Mr. and Mrs. Allan A. Slade of Newark, N. J., a son, on April 20, 1925.

1912—To Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Seidel of Paris, France, a daughter, Mary Frances, on April 29, 1925.

1913—To Dr. and Mrs. Leon R. Briggs of San Diego, Calif., a second son, Richard Leroy, on April 8, 1925.

1915—To Mr. and Mrs. Seth K. Mitchell of Conshohocken, Pa., a son, on April 28, 1925.

1918—To Mr. and Mrs. William A. Murray of Boston, Mass., a daughter, Natalie Agnes, on April 26, 1925.

1918—To Mr. and Mrs. Ogden R.

Lindsley of Providence, a son, Bradford Monroe, on May 4, 1925.

1918—To Mr. and Mrs. Burton Harrington of Evanston, Ill., a son, Francis Burton Harrington, Jr., on April 28, 1925.

1919—To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Smith of Dorchester, Mass., a son, Earl Leonard, on March 11, 1925.

1919—To Mr. and Mrs. Raymond F. Long of Stanfordville, N. Y., a daughter, Constance, on April 17, 1925. Mrs. Long is the daughter of Colonel Henry B. Rose '81, and Mrs. Rose.

1920—To Mr. and Mrs. George H. Carr of Providence, a son, Prescott Rhodes, on April 27, 1925.

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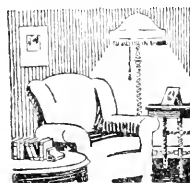
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